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RESPONSE TO EXAMINER'S ANSWER


Dear Sir:

The following is in response to the "Examiner's Answer" mailed by the USPTO on July 15, 2003. In the above referenced matter, we filed a continuation on 9/10/03 and plan to continue forward with prosecution of this case. Therefore, without prejudice, we will not be filing a Response to the Examiner's Answer mailed on 7/15/03. However, we reserve the right to file a new appeal on this matter in the future.

Please telephone the undersigned at (408) 288-7588 if there are any questions.

Respectfully submitted,

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